UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (CLAIMING BENEFIT TO PROVISIONAL APPLICATION) (New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 52637-0035

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Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Andrew STORM, entitled METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE BIT ASSIGNMENT AND FINE GAIN ADJUSTMENT IN A MULTI-CARRIER **COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM**, for a(n):

Original Patent Application that claims the benefit of prior U.S. Provisional Application 60/264,331, filed January 2 () Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned): () Divisional () Continuation-in-part (CIP) Continuation of prior application No: Filed on: A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

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